IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY

CRIMINAL APPELLATE JURISDICTION

CRIMINAL APPLICATION NO. 3828 OF 2005
IN
CRIMINAL APPEAL NO. 570 OF 2005

Anil Pandurang Deshpande ...Applicant

Versus

State of Maharashtra ...Respondent

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Mr. S.S. Kulkarni, Advocate for Applicant

Mr. V.B. Konde Deshmukh, A.P.P. for State.

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CORAM: SMT. V.K. TAHILRAMANI, J.

DATED: 30TH JUNE, 2005

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1. Heard both sides.

2. The applicant has been convicted under Section 7, 13(1)(d) r.w. 13(2) of the Prevention of Corruption Act, 1988. The maximum sentence imposed on the applicant is one year.

3. It is stated by the learned advocate for the applicant that the applicant was on bail pending the trial and this liberty has not been misused by him. This statement has not been controverted by the prosecution. It is further submitted by the learned advocate for the applicant that the maximum sentence

imposed on the applicant is one year and the appeal is not likely to be heard within the said time. Hence, he has prayed that the applicant may be granted bail. Looking to all these facts and circumstances, I am inclined to grant bail.

4. The applicant Anil Pandurang Deshpande be released on bail in the sum of Rs.25,000/- with one or two sureties to make up the said amount.

5. Application is disposed of.

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